Special.

## PLANS FOR THEIR **ENTERTAINMENT**

Bankers' Meeting Awaited With Great Interest.



(Secretary American Bankers' Associa-

WORK OF RICHMONDERS

Natives of This City Have Done Much to Build Up the Asssociation-State Bankers

The American Bankers' Association will meet in Richmond next October. This city was selected from among a number of others. The joint invitation of the Richmond Clearing House and the Richmond Chamber of Commerce was accepted at a meeting of the Executive Council of the Bankers' Association, which met in New York last week. The joint invitation was presented to the Council by Mr. John P. Branch, of this city, who is a member. The local committee, having the matter in charge, is composed of Messrs. A. Beirne Blair, cashier of the Security Bank, chairman; Virginus Newton, president of the First National Bank; John K. Branch vice-president of the Merchants' National Bank; Wm. M. Hill, cashier of the State Bank of Virginia; and Menn S. Quarles, vice-president of the Virginia Trust Com-

pany.

The bankers' annual convention extends over several days, and has about 4.000

FORMER RICHMONDER.

The president of the American Bankers' Association is Mr. Walker Hill, formerly assistant is all a state of Richmond. It would be peculiarly appropriate that he should preside over the national body in his native city. Mr. Hill was elected president of the Association last fall. The matter this year will aford him elis first.

president of the Association last fall. The meeting this year will afford him his first opportunity to wield the gavel.

The secretary is Colonel James R. Branch, formerly of this city. He was formerly connected with the Merchants National Bank, and was at one time commandant of the First Regiment of Virginia Cavalry. During the Spanish-American war he was an officer in the United States Volunteer Army.

Much of the success of the American Bankers' Association has been due to Col. Branch. Three years ago, when he was

Branch. Three years ago, when he was elected secretary, the Association had but a small membership and was a comparatively small organization.

Through his efforts, to a great extent, the association has been built up, and to-day it is one of the most powerful of

organizations.

The session will be held on the roof-garden of the Jefferson, and will sit for three days. Plans are being made for side trips. Among the excursions under contemplation is a day trip down the James to Old Point, returning by rail. An elaborate banquet will be served during the meeting.

STATE BANKERS.

The Virginia Bankers' Association will May 17th, and an elaborate meet here May 17th, and an elaborate programme has been prepared.

Convention called to order at 10:30 A. M., by the president; prayer, by Rev. Carey E. Morgan, of Seventh-Street Christian Church; roll call; address of welcome to the city, by the Hon. Samuel L. Keiley; reply to the address of welcome, by Colonel Richard C. Marshall, of Portsmouth; reading minutes of pre of Porismouth; reading induces of previous meeting; address by Hon. Ellis H. Roberts, Treasurer of the United States; appointment of Nominating Committee; report of the secretary and treasurer; report of the Executive Committee, George J. Seav, chairman; report of Committee on Bank-ing and Jurisprudence, Judge L. R. Watts, chairman; report of Finance Committee, Richard H. Smith, chairman; ad-dresses by members of the association on Practical Banking Questions; report of Nominating Committee and election officers; new business; appointment of delegates to the American Bankers' As-sociation; installation of officers elected;

### PETERSBURG SOCIAL

### A German at Library Hall-Young

Ladies Leave for Europe. PETERSHURG, VA., April 28.-Special A german was given at Library Hall last Monday night. Among the dancers were Misses Lucie Watson, Mattie Watson, Annie Watson, Dora Wright otland, Bena Harrison of Leesburg, Mary Williams of Norfolk, Elise Harri son Eliza Bragg, Nannie Scott, Hen-rietta Quinby of Atlanta, Ga.; Rogers of Mary Field, Mary Cole, Gertie Grossman, Page Nichols, Mary Gee; Messrs, Frank Gee, John Watson, Alfred Friend, Jr., Harry Mann, Brooks Rogers, Asa Rogers, Bob Fitzgerald, Sterling Bragg, Richard Percival, Hume, Gordon McCabe, Tom Holden, James Dunn Martin, Merlin Field, Allen Edwards, Spooner Eppes, Dr. John Mann, Robert Watson, Pelham Hurt, Sam Hurt, Howell Lightfoot, Tom Whyte, Meade Doyle and Willie Young. Miss Grace MoGill and Miss Wright left

Miss Mabel E. Dickman, daughter of Judge Dickman, of Cleveland, Ohlo, is visiting her cousin, Miss Roper, on Mar-

yesterday for New York, and will sail

next week for Europe

### Amelia Delegates.

AMELIA C. H., April 28-Special.-The Democrats of Amelia county met here Thursday. R. G. Southall was elected chairman and N. W. De Kraft elected secretary. The motion for a revision of the constitution and submitting the same to a vote of the people was carried unam-mously. The following delegates were elected to the State Convention: Giles Dis-trict, Hon. R. G. Southall and Bradley S. Johnson: Leigh District, Judge S. L. Far-rar and James H. Anderson; Jackson Dis-trict, James Wright and W. W. Booth.

Monumon! a U k-own Den '. WASHINGTON, April 28.—Representa-tive Fitzgerald, of Massachusetts, intro-duced in the House to-day a resolution appropriating \$100,000 for a monument in Arlington Cemetery to the known and unknown dead of the Spanish-American

is to see to it that her children begin early in life to shampoo their heads regularly once a week. In each instance, after the hair stance, after the hair stance in creating the best possible growth of uniformly colored, lustrous, healthy hairhe most important feature in the make-up of beautiful women and handsome men. For more than fifteen years, the

### Sutherland Sisters Scalp Cleaner %

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS.

A New Lodge With Many Members to be Formed.

A LITTLE CHILD FOUND DEAD

John Lamb in the City-Police Court-News, Personal and Brief.

Manchester Bureau, Richmond Times, 1112 Hull Street. Beattle Block.

More than a year ago Friendship Lodge, No. 20, Knights of Pythias, of Manchester, surrendered its charter. Members of that lodge have been working energetically since towards reorganizing, and their efforts have been rewarded with success. On to-morrow night the following signers of the petition will meet at Odd-Fellows'

H. A. Maurice, James A. Lipscomb, J. F. Abbott, F. W. Bass, Kenneth Smith, J. F. Johnson, Rev. Charles N. Van B. F. Johnson, Rev. Charles N. Van Houten, J. B. Rountree, George M. Rogers, C. B. Dennis, J. H. Milistead, W. H. Vellines, J. C. Frederick, E. Stumpf, W. L. Alley, G. P. Kidd, Charles H. Sharp, R. C. White, W. T. Pugh, W. W. Tatum, A. C. Hending, H. A. Brown, L. M. Crump, W. L. Savory, A. L. Benton, H. A. Campbell, J., W. Bafley, C. C. Eubanks, R. T. Eubanks, R. T. Curtis, H. B. Foltz, W. W. Archer, Edgar Holt, G. M. Jewett, E. C. Hafght, E. T. Jones, H. B. Foltz, W. W. Archer, Edgar Holt, G. M. Jewett, E. C. Haight, E. T. Jones, M. F. Jordan, J. S. Williams, A. C. Jonez, J. C. Collie, J. W. Tingle, E. H. Sheffield, B. H. Griffin, J. J. Lavire, J. S. Cosby, C. S. Sutton, W. C. Webb, D. H. Carroll, C. T. Wright, F. G. Price, W. J. McAllister, A. J. Carter, R. C. Harrington, W. C. Duke, R. A. Bowen, R. S., Rieves Frank W. Kitzgerald, C. C. Curtis, A. D. Albright, E. W. Vaden, W. J. Brown, C. A. Cox, S. P. Cox, Emmet Andrews, E. A. Winfree, T. W. Duke, James E. Harding, W. J. Morrissett, George P. Reams, ing. W. J. Morrissett, George P. Reams, william D. Fahr, R. S. Balley, Captain James A. Lipscomb, W. T. Andrews, W. A. Jackson, R. T. Thomas, A. B. Farmer, W. B. Cox, William S. Hurband, W. J. Lewis, W. T. Hurband and George A.

The home of Mr. L. J. Garris, No. 511 West Seventh Street, was entered Friday night by thieves, who carried away many things, including a large family Bible, dishes, cooking utensils, a ladies' black hat and a large supply of groceries. They entered from the rear, and it was not known by the family that any one had been in the house until yesterday morning.

CHILD FOUND DEAD.

Little Lorelle Gilliam, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Culvin Gilliam, of No. 7 Past Fourth Street, died very suddenly Friday night. The child was well that eventug, but at 12 o'clock she was found dead in her bed. Dr. Broadnax, city coroner, viewed the body yesterday morn-ing and issued the death certificate, giv-ing as the cause of the death convulsions.

REV. W. W. SISK Rev. W. W. Sisk pastor of the Clop-ton-Street Baptist Church, Swansboro, who is conducting a progracted meeting at the Baptist Church at West Point, Va. writes that he is meeting with much suc-cess, and on account of the urgent re-quest of the congregation, he has decided to remain over Sunday and continue th work, Rev. J. W. Cammack will, therefore, preach at the Clopton-Street Baptist Church to-day at both services.

PERSONAL AND BRIEF.

Willie Griffin, for being drunk, disorderly and resisting the police officer, was fined \$2.50 by the Mayor yesterday.

Hon. John Lamb was in Manchester

pesterday for a short while. He arrived from Wasshington Friday night. He will leave for Norfolk to-morrow. Hon. Phil. V. Cogbill, clerk of Chesterield county, was in Manchester yester-

Mr. Sam Wicks, of West Seventh Street, has accepted a position in Petersburg, Va., and will, except Sundays, live in that

The gas plant of the Manchester Light, Heat and Power Company will be locate on Decatur, between Sixth and Seventh Streets. The property has been pur-chased from the old Manchester Tobacco

Company. A meeting of the company was held yesterday morning. Last Saturday night thieves entered the flower yard of Mr. W. T. Perdue, on Everett Street, and took many valuable plants. They got off without being heard, but Chief Lipscomb, with his usu-al sagacity, traced them and had them well punished.

Miss Norma Lithgow is visiting in Petersburg.

Rev. H. W. Dunkley, formerly of Wash-ington-Street Tabernacle, Danville, will preach at Asbury Methodist Church to-day at 8 P. M. Preaching in the morning day at 8 P. M. Preaching in the morning by the pastor, J. T. Green. Subject, "The

Beauty of Humility."

Services at West-End Church to-day—Sunday-school at 9:30 A. M.; services at 11 A. M. by Rev. W. V. Tudor, presiding elder, and at 8 P. M. by the passiding elder, and at 8 P. M. by the passiding elder. tor, Rev. A. C. Berryman. Epworth League meetings at 3 and 7 P. M. All

There will be a union prayer-meeting at the almshouse this evening at 3:30 o'clock. The public are invited.

Stockton-Street Church-Preaching at 11 or of West-End Beptist Church of Peginning with Wednesday night, there will be services at church every night this week. These services will be preparatory to a series of meetings which will begin on next Sunday, and which will be conducted by Rev. W. S. Leake, pastor of West-End Baptist church of Pe-

day at Central Methodist Church at 11 A. M., and Rev. R. M. Maxey, of Rich-Regular services at First Presbyterian Church morning and evening by the pas-

A negro woman named Emma Dabney, who lives in the rear of Christian's un-dertaking establishment, was stricken with paralysis yesterday afternoon at 3 3 o'clock. She was treated by the ambu-

### STREET FAIRS OF THE OLD WORLD

How These Celebrations are Regarded There.

TIME HONORED CUSTOM

Great Business Benefits Are Derived From Them and They Are Encouraged-Gene-

ral Hotidays.

"While the Street-Fair is a novelty in

"While the Street-Fair is a novelty in the United States, it is an old and time-honored institution in the European countries," said Mr. Chris. Evensen in conversation regarding the Great Richmond Carnival. "Richmond can afford to make the Carnival a most pronounced success, and I think those who are at the head of the proposed celebration also recognize this fact. On the result of this initial effort hangs the future of the Street-Fair and Carnival in Richmond. "As I have said," continued Mr. Evenson, "the Street-Fair is an old established institution in Europe. As a boy and as a man, I remember the 'Marken' of Norway, my native land. And these celebrations were, even at that time, regarded as old customs. These 'Marken, or as they are called here Street-Fairs, are always looked forward to with great pleasure, and considered as a gala time. They are held in the various cities of Norway, the larger cities, such as Christiana, Draimen or Bergen, and the time chosen is about the middle of the winter, when theweather is steady, ciear and cotal. "These merchants and buvers gather at

"These merchants and buyers gather at these Marken. They come from all parts of the country and in all kinds of conveyances. The peddler and the wealthy merchant come with their wares and place them on sale. The farmer brings his produce and the manufacturer his his produce and the manufacturer his product. These are placed on exhibit, and not only on exhibit but on sale. That is one distinctive difference between the Street-Fair here and the Street-Fair there No one comes simply to display his goods, but he also expects to sell them. From what I can learn, it is proposed at the Richmond Carnival to strike a happy medium by doing both. dium by doing both.

"Then, there is the amusement feature and that part of the programme, by no means, is considered a minor part. First of all there is music—all kinds of music; bands from various sections come and traveling shows and circuses are there in numbers. Various kinds of sport are indujed in and contests held. The time of the Marken is considered as a

IN OTHER COUNTRIES. "But that is not the case in Norway alone. Germany has her 'mess' and it is a great institution. These fairs are held in the larger cities of the German States on an average of every three months, but they have only a more or less local interest, while the great annual fair, which is held at Frankfort-on-the-Mark is one of national importance. Main, is one of national importance. Then all parts of the Empire are repre-sented. People from all sections and States of the German Empireattend this

"Like in the case of the 'Marken' the merchant and the peddier alike come to display and to dispose of their wares. Various attractions are provided. The traveling circus has its inning, and the band never quits playing. The man in search of bargains and the man out for pleasure alone mingle. The time, too, is regarded as a general holiday, and every-body who possibly can takes advantage of the opportunities afforded. Young and old; high and low; rich and poor alike, help to swell the crowds."

"The Streat-Pair in Holland," said Mr. Isaac Von Vort, "is a great thing. For years it has been the custom to hold these celebrations and they are still continued. They are held in the larger cities, such as Amsterdam and Rotterdam, and are of national importance. Tradesmen from all over Holland are to be found in attendance, and not only from Holland, but from Germany and Belguim and France and other countries. These fairs, or as there are termed in Holland 'Kermis.' great event. "Like in the case of the 'Marken' the

and other countries. These fairs, or as they are termed in Holland 'Kermis,' were formerly heid in the city proper. Several squares were devoted to them. several squares were devoted to them, and all the business and merry-making were carried on there. Of late years, however, a space just outside the city proper is used and the business of the city is not interfered with, as was formerly the case. Battering of all kinds is carried on at this time, and every lody great and the case. every body goes out for a good time. Amusements of various kinds are pro-cured and arches erected. These arches and the booths, too, are gaily paint-ed and decorated, while thousands of corlored lights give the whole scene the appearance of being one monster kaeldoscope. These fairs are carried on by individuals, and not by the city or State individuals, and not by the city of State authorities. They are productive of great results, and bring the various trades and the people into closer relation.
"The Kermis, or Street Fair, as you may choose to call it, is a good thing."

# KILLED INSTANNLY

(Continued from First Page.)

Althought. I had my fires in good condition. The other four men were with me and we had been waiting for the girder to be brought. When it arrived, but a few minutes before, we had at once started to get in shape and place it in position. The girder had been lifted off the wagen and we were ready to swing It around and carry it over to the up-rights. Everything was working well. We had gotten the girder up, about ten feet, 1 suppose, when I looked ahead.

"I saw the booms quiver. Then I felt the platform tremble. I called to the men and to Simmers to 'Look out!' Sim-

Then I rushed to the other side and jumped for my life. I struck on a pile of ties after falling about thirteen feet. I vas stunned from the fall, but I was the fall of the others had been. I rush-ed over to the mass of wreckage to ald

"Bowers never knew what happened.
"If Plock had heard me, or if he did

hear me and had let go his end of the line. I am of the opinion that all would have escaped. By so doing he would have let the girder drop and the traveller would have settled on the tracks.

"I have no idea what caused it. It is

French Organdies. 79 pieces Real French Organdies, this season's most exclusive 14C

# CORDES & MOSBY.

## Dissolution Sale.

Special.

Plisse Silks,

elty, in all the new staple and pastel shadings and blacks, the \$1.00 quality,

79 cents.

## For Real Genuine Bargains This Will Be the Red-Letter Week

Another slash at prices, which means for you real genuine bargains. This stock must be cleaned up quickly. It's a big undertaking, we know, and nothing but a merciless cutting in prices will do it quickly. So come here prepared to find such merchandise as your present or near future wants will demand, at positively rock-bottom prices; or for your own satisfaction look elsewhere, then come here and figure the saving.

New Silks But at Cut Prices.

Printed Foulards

Only this season's newest and most effective patterns in all the correct new shadings.

The 75c, quality now 59c. The S5c. quality now 69c. The \$1 quality now 89c. The \$1.15 quality new 96c. The \$1.35 and \$1.50 quality now \$1.15.

In all the new staple and Pastel shadings, the \$1 quality now 79c.

Pliese Silks, with rows of open, new, pretty and stylish; the \$1.25 quality now 9Sc.

Tailored Suits.

Ladies' Black and Navy Venetian Clott Suits, jackets silk lined, sizes 34, 36 and 68; former price, \$12.59, now \$5. Ladies' Very Fashionably Tailored Suits, high-grade garments; the mate-rials used are fancy tweeds; colors, Black, Navy and Brown; sizes 32, 34, 35, 38 and 40; former prices, \$15 and \$18, now \$8.75.

Ladies' High-Grade Tailored Suits, perfect-fitting garments, jackets silk lined, sizes 32, 34, 36, 38 and 40; former prices, \$18.50 and \$22.50, now \$9.98.

### Separate Skirts.

Black Crepon Skirts, cut and made in the best and most fashionable manner.

\$12.50 Skirts now \$7.50. \$14.50 Skirts now \$7.50. 2 Silk-Lined Crepon Skirts, were \$20, now \$9.75. Black Taffeta, Peau de Soie, and Gros-Grain Sik Skirts, trimmed with applique and velvet ribbon. \$15 and \$18.50 Skirts now \$7.

Silk Petticoats.

Full line of colorings, full size, ali the necessary ruffles, &c. \$8.50 Skirts now \$6.98, \$7.50 Skirts now \$6.48.

A Sage-Green Accordion-Plaited Mo-hair Skirt, was \$12.50, now \$3. 1 Cream Silk, Accordion-Plaited Skirt, was \$12.50, now \$3.

\$6 Skirts now \$4.98.

se. I can not explain it; I have no idea chat was the cause."
Coroner W. H. Taylor was summoned and after viewing the bodies directed that they be prepared for burial.

The inquest will be held this morning at 10 o'clock in Billiups' undertaking

THOSE WHO ESCAPED

Stories Told by the Survivors of the Accident.

'Squire R. Dillion, of Redwood, Va., narrowly escaped death. When seen last night he said: "I was underneath the engine, standing in the street, when I heard a noise above. When the traveller and engine fell I ran for my life. I was frightened almost to death."

R. P. Rogers was at work underneath

the heavy beams. He said in speaking of the accident: "I barely escaped. I was on the trestle, and when the derrick fell I slipped underneath between a va-The jar came near throwing

John Winters was badly bruised in holding on to the trestle to prevent being jarred off. He said that he does not think the dead men had a moment's warn-ing before they were hurled headlong to the streat barrels.

the heap of wrecked material.

J. W. Carroll, the general foreman, was on the trestle when the crash came, but was not hurt. He said that about seven men were at work around the traveller when it fell.

THE WOUNDED MEN.

J. H. Simmers, of Harrisburg, Pa., the assistant foreman, had his collarbone broken and was very badly bruised. He was removed to his boarding-house, on Fact Warnhill. Street where he was East Franklin Street, where he treated by Dr. Clifton M. Miller. It is thought that he will recover. Mr. Willard Brubaker had the small

bone of his left leg broken. He was also removed to his boarding-house, on East Franklin Street. Dr. Clifton M. Miller reated Mr. Brubaker and says that he When seen last night Dr. Miller said that his two patients, while they would recover, yet Mr. Simmers' condition was very serious, and he would require care-

Willie Leake was underneath the en gine when he heard some one say "Look out!" and he began to run for his life.

He escaped unhurt. Charles Hanson fell with a bucket of paint into the street. He was cut about the face and badly bruised. He was soon at work, however, helping to rescue the bodles of his unfortunate fellow-worknen who were buried beneath the wreck-

A DEPLORABLE SIGHT. The scene in the vacant building, into which the dead bodies of the workmen were moved as soon as they were recovered, was pitiful in the extreme. Strong men were in tears. Those who had work-ed heroically to recover the bodies of their fellow-workmen from beneath the debris, after the completion of their work found themselves on the verge of collapse.

The body of George Bowers was covered over with some of the clothes of the unfortunate man. Laid beside him were the

### Wash Goods.

All new and fresh, many of them being handled exclusively by us, but all at greatly reduced prices.

Real Irish Dimities, fine and sheer, the 25c, quality now 22c.

Mercerized Foulards, looks like and wears better than silk, real Foulard patterns; the 25c, quality now 30c.

Satin-Striped Dimities, real Foulard patterns, were 50c., now 45c.

Satin-Striped Crepes, new and pretty, all the new stable and Pastel shades, was 60c., now 50c.

Embroidered Mousselines, were 69c., now 52c.

Ginghams.

Real Scotch Ginghams, the perfect washing and wearing kinds.

The 25c, quality now 22c.
The 35c quality now 25c.
Real Scotch Ginghams, with openwork stripes, or Mercerized stripes, new and stylish, were 50 and 60c., now 45c.

Dimities, the and shear in an im-

Dimities, fine and sheer, in an immense range of new patterns and colorings: the 16 2-3c, quality now-

Embroidered Swisses.

Very new and desirable, full line of colorings.

The 50c. ones now 45c.
The 60c. ones now 48c.
The 76c. ones now 59c.
The 31 ones now 75c.

White Goods. Some Extraordinary Values. White Madras

Very desirable for ladies' waists and men's shirts, just the same quality you often bought here, and thought cheap, at 13½c., now 8 1-2e. Satin Striped Organdies

Fine, sheer and light-weight, four or five styles to select from the regular 16 2-3c. quality, now 6 3-4c. Batiste

47 inches wide, fine, sheer and light-weight, washes and wears perfectly.

The 25c, quality now 21c.
The 35c, quality now 29c.
The 40c, quality now 36c.
The 60c, quality now 45c.
The 60c, quality now 50c.

French Printed Piques Only the most desirable patterns, figures and stripes; the 50c. quality now 19c.

Boys' Shirt Waists. White and Percales, nicely made, carefully selected patterns.

The 50c, ones now 45c.
The 75c, ones now 69c.
The \$1 ones now 90c.

where he had a wife. His wife had been

of her husband. of her husband.

While here, Mrs. Plock talked over some arrangements for moving the family to this city to live. Mr. Plock had been this city to live boarding on North Tenth Street, and on yesterday morning had his baggage trans-

Sullivan made a reamark Friday night that he "had better quit while he that he had better that he was said he was trankful that he quit when he did, as Plock's fate would have most likely been

One of Sullivan's fellow-workmen, it is said, told Sullivan that he feared that said, told Sumivan that he teared that something would happen to him (Suffivan) if he did not quit his position and get something else to do. Sullivan acted on this advice and accepted another for less manufic.

ers at Mr. Kelley's restaurant.

In speaking of them last night Mr. Kelley said that they were gentlemanly, quiet and unostentatious—that they were exceptionally well-behaved. The men had eaten their dinner at the restaurant a short time before and were talking very happily among themselves during the dinner hour. Soon after their return to work Mr. Kelley heard that some of his boarders had met instant death, and went over to the scene of the accident.

There were about thirty-five workmen quickly put to work clearing Main Street.
The pieces of broken timber, spattered with blood, presented a most ghastly sight, and were soon covered with ashes

The damage to machinery will probably reach about \$1.500.

### FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT

by Collapse of a Building.

The injured: William McWorther, head crushed and internally injured-will die D. O. Patillo, fractured jaw and concussion of back-probably die; Harry Brown. P. K. Walker, John Oliver, J. Allen, John Beck, George Siler, W. B. Winn, J. A.

### An Unusual Embroidery Event.

6,400 yards Nainsook, Cambric and Swiss Edges and Insertions, just the pick of this season's choicest patterns, they are all perfect, but in lengths ranging from 1½ to 6½ yards. They are in every instance marked at half, and in many instances at about one-third their regular price.

Black Goods.

All new and fresh, and at greatly reduced prices. Crepons

The 75c, quality now 49c.
The 81 quality now 69c,
The 81.50 quality now 98c.
The 81.51 quality now \$1.19.
The \$2 quality now \$1.39.
The \$1.50 quality now \$3.49. Grenadines

Plaid, striped and dotted effects; prices, 98c, to \$4.29 yard. Nun's Veiling, 50c. to \$1.25. Camel's-Hair Grenadine, very light-weight, \$1.15, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Black Vaile, the \$1.50 quality, \$1.19. Figured Mohairs

Linings. 10c. Black Percaline now S 1-3c.

Colored Dress Goods. 20 styles of Dress Goods, all desirable and good, now 39c. 50 styles, Plaid, Plain and Striped and Checked Dress Goods, were \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 to \$2, now 69c.

Challies. An immense assortment to select from; prices, 32 to 85c.

Nun's Veilings. Fine and light-weight; colors, Navy. Gray, Tan, Castor and Old Rose, \$1.25 and \$2 yard.

Some Very Good and Low-Priced Underwear.

Ladles' Light-Weight Ribbed Cotton Vests, silk tape in neck and sleeves, regular 20c. value, 15c. Ladles' Very Light-Weight Ribbed Lisle Vests, a much better article than the usual 25c. kind, at 21c. Gentlemen's French Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, the 50c. ones now 45c.

### Gents' Furnishings. Many Real Bargains.

Negligee Shirts

Made of printed Nainsook, very light-weight, one pair link cuffs to match each shirt, sizes 15, 15½, 16, 16½ and 17 only, were 81, now 69e. The \$1.25 and \$1.50 quality, this sea-son's newest patterns only, properly made, perfect fitting, now 95e. Guyot's Suspenders, the 50c. ones now 43e.

now 43c.
Coon Brand Collars, all the new shapes, the 26c. quality now 12 1-2c. Linen-Bosom Shirts

Gentlemen's Linen-Bosom Unlaundered Shirts, nicely and properly mada.

The 50c, ones now 45c.
The 51c, ones now 90c.
The \$1 ones now 90c.
Gentlemen's Linen-Bosom Laundered Shirts, closed front, open back and front, and platted bosom; the \$1 ones now 92c.
Gentlemen's Hamstitched All. Lines now 52c.

Gentlemen's Hemstitched All-Linen Handkerchiefs, all widths hems; the 50c. ones now 33c.

Neckwear

White Lawn, Pique and Madras Puff Ties, new and fresh; the 25c, ones now 12 1-2c. Imperials, Tecks, Four-in-Hands and English Squares, this season's newest styles only; the 50c, ones now 45c. New Silk Waists

At Way Down Prices.

Black, White and Colored Taffeta Silk Wa'sts, hemstitched, corded and tucked, entirely new effects: prices, \$4.30, \$4.48, \$4.98, \$5.48 and \$5.98,

Infants' Caps.

Wash Waists.

White Lawn and Percile Walsts, this season's now cuts and patterns, at greatly reduced prices.

1 tot White Lawn Walsts, new cuts, slightly solled, were \$1.25, now 59c.

See the special values in Linen Sheeting and P. C. Linen.

45-inch Linen, 36c.

10-4 Sheeting, 59c.

White Onills.

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NEWS OF THE RAILROADS Commission Men Arrive in This City Other Items,

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A party of Western commission merchants arrived in this city yesterflay from Norfolk and were entertained at the Jefferson as guests of the Chesapeake and Otio Rallway. The plans of the party were somewhat modified, and instead of leaving yesterday afternoon for the West, they remained in Richmond until last night. The party travels in a private Pullman and is in charge of Mr. private Pullman and is in charge of Mr. W. A. Sullivan, Division Freight Agent. The visitors called at the office of Major E. D. Hotchkiss, General Freight Agent of the Chesapeake and Ohlo, this morning. They were driven about the city this afternoon and visited the various points of The gentlemen expressed themselves as

greatly surprised and gratified at the op-portunities offered here, and the proba-bility is that Virginia-raised fruit and vegetables will supplant others now supplying the majority of the western trade.

The party is composed of the following gentlemen, who are representatives of the the girder drop and the traveller would have settled on the tracks.

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G. S. Syerup; Cleveland, L. K. Sutton and J. B. Kelley; Cincinnati, George M.

It is the intention of the Chesapeake and Ohio to encourage the shipment of strawberries and other early fruit to northern and western cities. A special service will in all probability be established between Crozet and Pittsburg, Pa., via Washington, Pa., in the near future.

Extensive improvements are being made

at the old Bay Line Company's wharves, Fulton, and it is rumored that a daily service will be established between this city and Baltimore by May 15th. Though this rumor lacks official confirmation it has gained wide circulation. It has been claimed that under the terms of the lease improvements were required.

It is expected that the Southern's new depot will be turned over to the company

The general offices, which are to be occupled by Superintendent W. T. West, and other officials, are about ready, and it is reported that Captain West will begin the removal of his offices to the new depot

Negro Lynched.

MARSHALL, MO., April 28.-Minde Chowggoe, the negro-Indian, who escaped from jall Thursday night after assaulting Sheriff Joseph Wilson and his little son and shooting the sheriff's wife in the arm when she came to the rescue, was lynched at midnight to-night by a mob of angre

# THREE MEN

GAVE THE WARNING. Engineer G. Harry Albright gives a most graphic account of the acident. Said Mr. Albright: "I was standing on the block of

mers heard me. I saw him signal the men and call something to them. Poor Plock had hold of one the and poor Bowers the other. I called to Plock to let go. They either did not hear me or else they lost their heads. Again I called to them to jump. They could scarcely need the warning, for I a sure they must have felt the traveller going. They either did not hear me or

their rescue.
"I helped to get out Plock and Bowers Plock was gasping for breath, but his heart beat was strong. I put my hand inside of his shirt, but his body was so

where he had a wile. His whe had been in Richmond for the past two weeks to see him and left for Pennsylvania yesterday morning at 8 o'clock. She had not arrived at her destination before a telegram was sent announcing the death

ferred to Mr. Kelley's restaurant, having decided that it would be better for him, as it was nearer his work.

A strange fatality seemed to be that of Plock. He had just gone to work for the first time yesterday mouning at his new position, having succeeded Dennis Sullivan, who quit work the night before. Mr. Sullivan as it was nearer his work.

All of the workmen on the trestle with the exception of Mr. Everett, were board-

Two Men Killed and Eleven Injured

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., April 28 .the collapse of the frame-work of the main building of the Dimmick Pipe and Foundry Company, in course of construction at North Birmingham, this morning, two men are dead and eleven are injured. at least two of whom will die. The dead: James McWhorter and David

Rolph, John Sharpe.

The building was 300 feet long and 100 feet wide. While an immense beam was being placed in position on the roof, thirty feet above the ground, it fell, and.

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